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PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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	:	Group Art Unit: 2879
Application No.: 09/749,727	)	
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Filed: December 28, 2000	)	
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For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS	)	March 18, 2004

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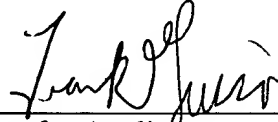
Sir:

Transmitted herewith are three (3) sheets of formal drawings to be substituted for the corresponding drawing sheets presently on file in the above-identified application.

The new drawing sheets incorporate the changes required by the Examiner in the paper dated February 19, 2004.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.

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